

## School Organizations and Contacts

## Extracurricular Activities

## Ridge View High School

### School Improvement Council Members

Sonja Merriwether, Chairperson  
Amelia McKie, Vice Chairperson  
Cheryl Worrell, Co-Secretary  
Qunicella McCollum, Co-Secretary

### Parent/Teacher Organization

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### Special Programs

Winter Wishes  
HOPE 4 Africa  
Student 2 Student  
Outreach for transfer and military students  
AYD  
Family Programs  
Senior and Junior Parent Breakfast  
Moments for Mom and Pastries for Pop  
Financial Aid Night  
College Info and Scholarship Info Nights  
Gear Up Family Monthly Nights

### Blazer Ambassadors

Patron's Club  
Blazer Misses  
Culinary Club  
DECA  
Drama Club  
FCA

French Club  
German Club  
Gospel Choir  
Interact Club

International Club

Key Club  
Coffee Shop Club  
Latin Dance Club

Men's Chorus

National Art Honor Society

National Honor Society

National Honor Society for Dance Arts

National Spanish Honor Society

National Technical Honor Society

Photography Club

Science Club

PTL

Science National Honor Society

Spanish Club

Baseball, Basketball, Cheerleading, Cross  
Country, Golf, Football, Lacrosse, Soccer, Softball,  
Swimming, Tennis, Track and Field, Volleyball,  
Wrestling

Band, Orchestra, Chorus

Intramurals

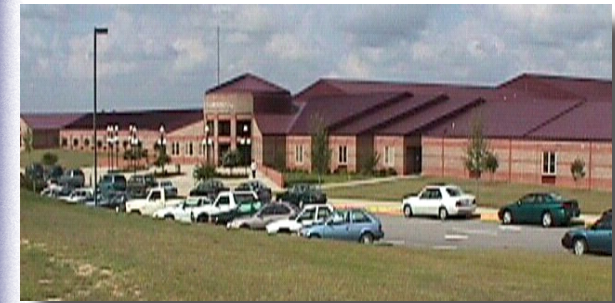
Math Team

Pegasus Literacy Magazine

Newspaper

Student Council

Yearbook



**Marty Martin**  
**Principal**

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*Ridge View High School, an active partner  
with its growing and diverse community,  
provides each student the opportunity for a  
superior education by promoting integrity  
and instilling the knowledge necessary for  
successful and responsible citizenship.*

School Hours  
8 a.m. - 4 p.m.

**Student Enrollment - 1989**  
**Grades - 9th - 12th**



Richland School District Two  
6831 Brookfield Road  
Columbia, SC 29206

## School Highlights & Awards

Ridge View opened on a 60 acre campus in the fall of 1995. RV serves both suburban and rural communities and a socioeconomically diverse student body. "Personalization" continues to be the guiding principle to promote student achievement and staff development. Ridge View has several smaller learning communities.

### AWARDS

Palmetto Gold and Silver  
Band and Orchestra State Awards  
National HOSA Awards  
Poetry Outloud State Champion  
Boys Basketball Lower State Champions  
Boys Basketball State Runner Up  
Palmetto's Finest

### Major Grants Received

ABC Fine Arts Grant  
GEAR UP  
AYD Grant  
Department of Defense Grant

BioHealth and Allied Health Sciences Magnet

## Test Scores

HSAP-ELA	HSAP-Math	HSAP-ELA-Math
89.3%	87%	83%

## Technology

Computer lab  
Three Computer Classrooms classrooms are internet accessible  
SMART Board  
LCD projector  
Wireless mobile classroom labs  
Mobile iPod carts for World Language students  
1:1 digital pilot class  
one IPAC class

## Student Information

69% African American  
22% White  
2% Asian  
4% Hispanic  
3% Other

**107 Teachers**  
**(40 National Board Certified)**

*Richland School District Two does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, national origin, sex, disability, age, or other protected characteristic in its programs and activities.*

## Goals for the Next School Year

- ◇ SIC Focus/Goals Ensure academic success for all students
- ◇ Ensure all students have a sense of belonging to the school and community.
- ◇ Expand internship opportunities for seniors
- ◇ Improve the achievement of students on state and national measures
- ◇ Work on programs to ensure repeaters get back on track to graduate
- ◇ Reduce discipline referrals, suspensions and expulsions
- ◇ Increase percentage of students participating in Student Activities
- ◇ Increase the student graduation rate
- ◇ Increase the number of students taking Advance Placement and dual-credit courses
- ◇ Continue to reduce the percentage of students retained in the ninth grade
- ◇ Expand professional development to address student achievement
- ◇ Provide professional development that enables teachers to integrate increased technology use in the learning process
- ◇ Complete a \$10,000,000 expansion and renovation of existing facilities